

Hon. Barbara J. Rothstein

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLEAFSHAN KHOSRAVI, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ANTONY J. BLINKEN, *et al.*,

Defendants.

No. 2:24-cv-1227-BJR

ORDER GRANTING AMENDED
STIPULATED MOTION AND
BRIEFING SCHEDULE AND STRIKING
STIPULATED MOTION [DKT. NO. 4]
AS MOOT

The parties, through counsel of record, present this Court with an amended proposed schedule for briefing Defendants' motion to dismiss and Plaintiffs' motion for summary judgment. Plaintiffs bring this litigation pursuant to the Administrative Procedure Act and the Mandamus Act seeking to compel Defendants to complete processing of Plaintiff Khosravi's immigrant visa application that a consular officer refused on November 3, 2023, pursuant to 8 U.S.C. § 1201(g). The parties disagree as to whether Defendants have a further mandatory duty concerning the visa application and, if so, whether that alleged duty has been unreasonably delayed.

Plaintiffs filed the amended complaint on November 5, 2024.

The parties propose the following amended briefing schedule:

<u>Filing</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Amended Complaint	November 5, 2024

Defendants' Motion to Dismiss	December 9, 2024
Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment	December 9, 2024
Defendants' Response to Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment	December 30, 2024
Plaintiffs' Response to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss	December 30, 2024
Defendants' Reply in Support of the Motion to Dismiss	January 13, 2025
Plaintiffs' Reply in Support of the Motion for Summary Judgment	January 13, 2025

The parties request permission, pursuant to LCR 7(f), to file overlength briefs of up to 11,200 words with regard to the Motion to Dismiss or the Motion for Summary Judgment filing. Also, the parties wish to be granted permission to reserve the right to amend the schedule, according to LCR 7(j), prior to December 9, 2024. The parties request that the Court enter the above-proposed briefing schedule, permission for overlength briefs, and the right to amend the schedule.

Dated: November 29, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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ORDER

The parties having stipulated and agreed, it is hereby so ORDERED. Plaintiffs filed the amended complaint on November 5, 2024. The parties shall submit their cross-motions pursuant to the following schedule:

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2 The parties are granted permission, pursuant to LCR 7(f), to file overlength briefs of up
3 to 11,200 words with regard to the Motion to Dismiss or the Motion for Summary Judgement
4 filing. Also, the parties are granted permission to reserve the right to amend the schedule,
5 according to LCR 7(j), prior to December 9, 2024. Finally, the Court STRIKES the Stipulated
6 Motion at Dkt. No. 4 as MOOT.

7 DATED this 3rd day of December, 2024.

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U.S. District Court Judge